



Karen K Dunsmore

January 14, 1958 - October 3, 2017

Karen Kothmann Dunsmore passed away at her home in San Antonio, Texas on October 3, 2017 at age 59. She was born in San Antonio on January 14, 1958 to Milton Kothmann and Martha Reeves. As a child, Karen enjoyed delving into books, going to Port Aransas with her family, and entertaining her friends with her infectious, unique sense of humor.

Karen was an avid learner and an exemplary scholar, as well as a kind, compassionate soul. All of those qualities led Karen to pursue a Bachelor of Science in Nursing from the University of Texas at Austin. Karen worked as an RN for over twenty-five years, and gave her patients all her attention, love, and expertise. Afterwards, Karen taught nursing for over ten years, and she discovered her passion for helping others achieve their highest potentials as a mentor. Karen touched the lives of her peers and students by always doing her best and encouraging others to succeed.

Karen's family was of utmost importance to her, and she fostered a love of learning and the desire to help others in her children. She had a love of God, family, beauty and life, and she will always be treasured by how much she wanted to give to all. Karen lives on in her inspiration to those who knew her and those who took her lessons and love to heart.

Karen is survived by her mother Martha Gerber (née Reeves); her brother

Gary Kothmann and sister Leslie Kothmann; her children Jenna, James, and John Cooper; and her granddaughter Julia Caudle who she adored. Karen was preceded in death by her father Milton Kothmann and her husband Jack Dunsmore.

As Karen often phrased, "Cherish those in your lives, treating them today as if there will be no tomorrow for either you or them." We will always cherish our memories of Karen, and we will go forth showing loving kindness, as she did, to all those who cross our paths.

Previous Events

Celebration of Her Life

OCT 15. 11:00 AM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels Cherry Ridge
3401 Cherry Ridge Dr
San Antonio, TX 78230
(210) 349-1414
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

Tribute Wall

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“ *I'm so very sorry for you loss...and ours too. Karen was such a sweet and thoughtful person. We will all miss her kindness and humor. May she rest in peace.*

Elizabeth Nelson - October 16, 2017 at 08:50 PM

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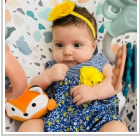
Stephanie Krueger - October 12, 2017 at 01:43 PM

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“ *Karen grew up kitty corner from our family and she used to come over along with Gary and Lesley to play at our house all the time. She was such a cute and sweet girl growing up. I was so happy to have connected with her on facebook since I live in Washington state and have for years. My heart goes out to her children and her family at this time. I was so saddened to hear of her passing with so much life left. She will be sorely missed. May you rest in peace Karen and to all of you my deepest condolences.*



Vickie Hale - October 11, 2017 at 07:45 PM



“ *Sending my deepest condolences and lots of love to all of you! I am heartbroken at the loss of my best friend from high school. I will never forget all the wonderful times I had with Karen. She taught me so much and I was blessed to be her friend.*

Sally Scharff

Sally Scharff - October 11, 2017 at 02:17 PM